# NORTHPORT VILLAGE

# RECYCLING & SOLID WASTE

Sanitation Schedule January, 2016 - December, 2016

NORTHPORT VILLAGE HALL: 261-7502

#### Northport Village has gone even more GREEN with SINGLE STREAM recycling!

Place all of your recycling materials in the same bin, on the same day, for recycling pick-up. Paper, plastic, glass, cardboard and a whole lot of new items can be recycled together on the same day!

#### Every Wednesday, along with the regular items you have already been recycling like:

Cardboard and paper bags; newspaper, inserts and junk mail; paper milk, juice and egg cartons; cereal and cracker boxes; steel, tin and aluminum cans; phone and paperback books; glass bottles and jars; office paper, folders and greeting cards; #1 - #7 plastic bottles, jugs, jars and tubs

#### You can now also recycle....

Shredded paper, aluminum foil and pie pans, pots and pans, small plastic toys, plastic flower pots, Christmas lights, metal and plastic hangers, school paper

#### But not these...

Dispose of in regular garbage - Aerosole cans/bottles, styrofoam, plastic bags, wrap or film; plastic utensils, plates, cups, etc.; lightbulbs, pane glass, pump spray nozzles, caps or lids, 9V, A, AA, AAA, C and D batteries; pizza boxes, heavily soiled cardboard and/or paper food containers

Compact Fluorescent Lights (CFL's) Disposal: While CFL's use 75% less energy than traditional lightbulbs, they contain very small amounts of mercury. If these bulbs are discarded with your trash or in curbside recycling containers, they break and release mercury into our environment.

PLEASE RECYCLE YOUR USED CFL BULBS AT THE HUNTINGTON TOWN RECYCLING CENTER

Recyclables are normally scheduled for pick up on Wednesdays.

If the recycling day falls on a holiday, do not put your recycling out the following day.

Keep it stored for pick up until Wednesday of the following week.



You may use any sturdy trash can for recycling. Please do your part to reduce solid waste and keep sanitation costs down!

You and Northport Village....lean, green recycling machines!

E-Waste
disposal now available
at Scudder Park!
See inside for details....

## **Collection Regulations**

Place material at the curb in durable containers v	with close-fitting covers before 6 am on collection day but
not before 12 noon on the day before collection.	Please remove containers promptly after collection.

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Bundles must be shorter than 2 x 2 x 4 feet
Place all items at curb in a safe condition to avoid injurying others
Residents and/or contractors are responsible for the removal of large amounts of construction debris

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**PLEASE NOTE:** If one of your garbage pick up days falls on a holiday - do not put it out until your next, regularly scheduled, garbage pick-up day.

**BULK PICK-UPS** are no longer scheduled with Village Hall, except for large metal items.\* You can put out 2 bulk items on your second, scheduled garbage day for pick up. Bulk waste includes: sofas, mattresses, carpet (cut, rolled and bundled in 4-ft lengths), stockade fencing (also bundled in 4-ft lengths). So if needed, on your second, scheduled garbage day you might have out regular garbage, some bulk items and yardwaste!

\* Schedule with Village Hall all bulk metal items and appliances such as washers, dryers, ovens, lawn mowers, refrigerators (REMOVE DOORS), etc.

The municipal facility on Old Northport Road in Kings Park (location and hours of operation on page 7) is available if your needs exceed regular collection.

## **E-Waste (Electronic Waste)**

New York State Law now dictates that electronic waste cannot be placed at the curb for regular garbage pick-up. To make it easier for residents to dispose of these items, the Village now accepts E-Waste at Scudder Beach Park - in the building next to the wastewater treatment plant.

#### Drop off hours:

Tuesdays and Thursdays from 8 am to 3 pm; Saturday from 8 am to 12 noon.

#### **Accepted E- Waste:**

COMPUTERS - desktops, towers, lap-tops, notebooks, TV or monitors, printers, scanners, faxes, copiers, cable equipment - boxes, remotes, wire, light bulbs, batteries, vcr/dvd players, tablets, ipods, ipads, printer cartridges: laser or ink BATTERIES: lithium ion, Nicad, others PHONES: cell, home and office phone systems, NETWORKING EQUIPMENT: switches, routers, Wifi, cabling

Non-rechargeable batteries, such as 9V, A, AA, AAA, C, and D batteries can be disposed of in your household trash.

**Safe Disposal:** Northport Village has contracted with eWorks for our e-waste disposal. eWorks offers NIST 800-88 compliant systems for data erasure and destruction including: Media Sanitization using Blanco and Kill Disk Data purging through Degaussing or Secure Erase Media Destruction via shredding

#### Other options for E-waste disposal:

The Town of Huntington's Recycling/S.T.O.P. facility at 641 New York Avenue or return them to the store where they were purchased. The New York State Wireless Recycling Act requires all cell phone providers that sell wireless phones to accept them for reuse or recycling.

For more information visit: http://www.huntingtonny.gov/e-waste

#### **Yardwaste Collection**

Yardwaste cannot be mixed in with regular garbage. Put yardwaste out in separate bags or containers with your regular garbage, on your second garbage pick up day.

**ACCEPTED YARDWASTE:** Leaves, branches, hedge clippings, prunings and brush. Branches and brush must be tied into 4-ft long bundles, weighing no more than 50 lbs. Branches larger than 4 inches in diameter will not be picked up.

**NOT ACCEPTED:** Grass clippings, tree stumps, sod, dirt, sand, rocks, stones. Residents are responsible for disposing of these items at the landfill or by private dumpster. For more information call the Smithtown Landfill at 269-6600.

It is against Village Code to blow debris into the street, unless you clean it up immediately and dispose of it properly.

NOTE: Grass clippings are not accepted at the landfill but can be dropped off at the Huntington Recycling/S.T.O.P. facility for a fee of \$2.00 a bag

RECYCLE YOUR GRASS — don't blow or bag — "just mow it!"

Trees:

In accordance with Village code, it's unlawful for any person to remove, destroy or substantially alter the habitat of more than 10% of the trees (a tree is defined as having a diameter of 16" plus and being 4.5 feet from the ground) on any parcel of real property within the Village without **first** obtaining a \$25 tree permit.

For more information about the Village's tree policy visit: http://www.northportny.gov/pages/trees.html

You can download a tree permit at: http://www.northportny.gov/docs/treeremovalpermit.pdf

#### Stormwater Run-off:

Stormwater run-off is excess rain or snowmelt which carries sediment and toxic materials like pesticides, pool water, animal waste, motor oil, cigarette butts, etc. into our Harbor. State and Federal laws require that the Village strive to reduce the

Call the Stormwater
Tipline at
261-7502, ext. 313 with
any information
regarding stormwater
run-off or illegal
dumping in Village
storm drains.

amount and negative effects of stormwater.

Dumping debris, paint, solvents and other waste matter into Village storm drains and basins is illegal, as is the illicit hook up of waste water pipes, washing machines, toilets, etc. to Village storm drains and basins.



Please protect our beaches and waterways as stormwater run-off can often lead to beach closings.

Help the Village avoid flooding by removing obstructions from drainage inlets, curbs and catch basins during heavy rains.

## **Construction Hours**

It is unlawful and a violation of Village code for any person to undertake or engage in any exterior or outdoor construction activity for which a permit is needed, during the hours of 8 am and 7 pm on weekdays and from 9 am to 6 pm on weekends -- except in the case of an emergency or in the interest of public safety.

A dumpster permit (no charge) is required for any container that is placed on a Village street for an allowable maximum time of 48 hours.

# Permits or approval are required for the following:

**Building construction** 

Retaining walls (new or replacement)

Plumbing work (other than the maintenance of existing)

Detached structures such as swimming pools; sheds; garages; cabanas; sport courts, etc.

Decks (new or enlargement of existing deck)

Driveways (new or increasing the size of an existing driveway and/or paving over pervious driveway)

Removal of more than 10% of trees on any real property

Structure or unacceptable plantings in the unpaved portions of the right of way

New electrical work

Disturbance of areas that slope 10% or more (slopes more than 1 foot in 10 foot run)

Any type of work on paved portions of streets, sidewalks and curbs

**Outdoor fires** 

Garage sales

New signs or replacement of existing signs

Installation of a fireplace and/or wood burning stove

Dumpsters that will be placed on the street or in the Village right of way

For more information about the Northport Village code go to www.generalcode.com

**Snow Removal** Every owner, lessee, tenant, occupant or other person in charge of any real property in the Business district or of any institutional use (school, library) on any real property in a Residential district, shall be responsible for the removal of snow and ice from any improved sidewalk within four hours after snow has ceased to fall, except between the hours of 9 pm and 7 am.

In the event that the snow or ice on the improved sidewalk is frozen said owner, lessee, etc., shall spread sand, salt or sawdust on the improved sidewalk as soon as the weather permits and then clear and clean said sidewalk.



FOR YOUR
FAMILY'S SAFETY:
Please be sure that your
house number is clearly
visible from the street
to avoid any delay in the
response of emergency
personnel or vehicles

## **COLLECTION CALENDAR**

Any garbage or recycling day that falls on a holiday is skipped, and those items will be picked up on your next, regularly scheduled garbage and/or recycling day. Bulk items are to be placed at the curb on the second day of your pick up cycle.

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## Huntington Recycling Center & S.T.O.P. (Stop Throwing Out Pollutants)

641 New York Avenue, (North of the "Big H" Shopping Center) 427-6377 Recycling Hours: Tuesday - Saturday, 9 am to 3 pm

**ACCEPTS:** All recyclables/E-waste as indicated on the front page of this schedule, in addition to automotive, marine and other small batteries and metals. Grass clippings are accepted for a fee of \$2.00 per bag.

S.T.O.P. Facility (Hazardous materials) drop-off hours: Tuesday - Saturday: 9 am to 3 pm

**ACCEPTS:** Motor oil or chemical containers, gasoline, waste oil, kerosene, swimming pool chemicals, cleaners and solvents, lead and oil based pains, pesticides, weed killers, herbicides, paint removers, glue, anti-freeze, drain cleaner, mercury, muriatic acid, deodorizers, expoxies, spot remover, propane tanks (20 lbs). Rechargable batteries may be disposed of here or at the Village's Ewaste facility.

Hazardous materials should be in their original container or an acceptable container which is clearly labeled to ensure proper handling by the S.T.O.P. facility. There is a 5 gallon limit for liquid hazardous waste and a 10 pound limit for solids.

**NOT ACCEPTED:** Ammunition, biological waste, explosives, fire extinguishers, fireworks, infectious or medical waste, radioactive materials, regular garbage, smoke detectors, syringes, unlabeled materials

Call the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYS DEC) at 631-444-0375 for proper disposal information



## Municipal Services Facility - Smithtown/Kings Park

Old Northport/Pulaski Roads. 269-6600 Open Tuesday - Saturday 7 to 11:45 am; 12:45 to 3:15 pm

**ACCEPTABLE WASTE:** Construction debris, yardwaste - including stumps up to 30 lbs. (excludes grass clippings)

**RECYCLABLES** -- Newspaper, cardboard, unbroken glass jars and bottles, metal and aluminum cans, metal appliances, Plastic containers marked with No. 1-7, E-waste, car batteries, used motor oil

**UNACCEPTABLE WASTE:** Grass clippings, regular household garbage, mattresses, carpet, rugs, furniture and propane tanks. If loads of mixed debris contain recyclables, they must be separated before entering the facility. The scale house attendant will indicate where to place the recyclable items.

Resident Fees:

Yardwaste (not grass) and recyclables - no charge Construction debris \$.06 cents per pound

Propane tanks can also be brought to the Campsite Sport Shop at 1877 New York Avenue in Huntington for free disposal. Call 271-4969 for hours.

### Commercial District Schedule/Information

**BOUNDARIES:** Main Street from Woodbine Avenue to Church Street; Woodbine from 5th Avenue to Main Street; Bayview Avenue from Main Street to Highland; and Scudder Avenue from Woodbine to School Street.

Waste material must be drained and free of liquid and placed in firmly closed, heavy gauge plastic bags with no more than a 30 gallon capacity. Recyclables must not be mixed with regular garbage.

No more than 15 such bags, at no more than 50 pounds each, can be placed at the curb on any given collection day.

Garbage must not be placed at the curb before 11 pm from May 1 through Sept. 30 and before 9 pm from Oct. 1 to April 30 of the day before the scheduled collection day.

Refuse and rubbish shall not be placed at the curb for collection before 6 pm of the day before the scheduled collection day, which shall be designated by the Village.

**MERCHANTS:** Pick-up for cardboard is on Tuesdays and Fridays. For all other recyclables, merchants should put out their accepted items every Wednesday.



Unused prescription and/or over-the-counter drugs can be disposed of in the drop-off box at the Northport Police Department. Both prescription and illegal drugs can be discarded at any time, no questions asked.

Incorporated Village of Northport 224 Main Street Northport, NY 11768 U.S. POSTAGE BULK RATE PAID NORTHPORT, NY PERMIT #56



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